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ing Revenue Farms for the year 1900 :-Opium Farms. Spirit License Farms. Pawnbrokipg Farms Customs Farm (North Borneo only). Gambling Bestriction Farm (for North Borneo only).

For Perticulars, apply to MESSEE BIRLEY, DALRYMPLE & CO. Hongkong. Hongkong, 10th September, 1893.

SHIPPING. ARRIVALS. TI O T.E L Oct. 11, TARSANG, British str., 277, Smith, Wuhn and Chinking 7th Oct., General.

JARDINE: MATRISON & Co. Oct. 12, PARSHAN, British str., 1,235, Jonkons, Saigon, 5th October, General. -- BRADLEY

> Oct. 12, Taisang, British str., 1,505, W. E. Sawer, Cauton 11th October, General. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Oct. 12, PARHOI, British str., 1,248, A. Stott, Canton 11th October, General. - Burren. VIELD & SWIEE

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NIPPON YOSEN KAISHA Oct. 12, THYRA, Norw, str., 2,150, Edvardson, Moji Gth Out. Coals .- BUTTERPIBLD & SWIBE. Oct. 12. COROMANDEL, British str., 2,783, F. W. Vibert, B.N.R., Shanghai 10th Oct., Mails and General.—P. & O. S. N. Co.

Oct. 12, ABBATOON APCAR, British str. 2,879, E. Fey, Calcutta 26th Sept., and Straits 7th Oot., General. - D. SANSOON, SONS & Co. CLEARANCES. AT THE HARROUR MASTER'S OFFICE

2TH OCTOBER Suevia, German str., for Kinochan. Taksang, British str., for Canton. Kuteaug, British str., for Samarang.

DEPARTURES. Oot. 12, NANCHANG, British ste., for Tientsin. Oct. 12, FORMOSA, British str., for Tamsui, Oct. 12. Sugvia. German str., for Kiacobau.

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Per Sandukan, from Sandakan, Mrs. Breibag, and Mr. Gustav Breibenbach. Por Samulei Maru, from Singapore, Major and Mrs. Higg. Mr. J. V. Dodd. Mrs. Blanco, Mr. and Mrs. Nonweiler, Mrs. McIlraik, Miss. Corfield, and Mr. K. Kagarai.

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TO MORROW. ace. Mr. V. I. Remedics, at 2 30 p.m.

Zetland Street, No. 2, Mr. Paul Browitt, at \$ Meeting of the Canton Insurance Office Limited, in the Offices of Jardine, Matheson & Co., at noon-

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NOTICE.

DENNYS & BOWLEY.

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Dated the 12th day of September, 1899.

PPLICATIONS are invited for the POST A ot HIRED STOREHOUSEMAN. 2nd Class, in H. M. Naval Yard. Full particulars as to pay, Ac., may be obtained on personal application to the Naval Store Officer. H. SIMMINS Naval Store Officer. Hongkong, 7th October, 1899.

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Hongkong, 7th October, 1899. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. PUBLIC AUCTION. DIVIDEND of 318 per Share for the THE Undersigned has recoived instructions year 1898, equivalent to 36 por cent. on to Sell by Public Auction. the paid-up Capital of \$50 per Share, has been TO-MORROW (SATURDAY)

the 14th October, 1899; at 2:45 P.M. at WARRANTS will be issued on the 13th No. 2, Victoria View, Kowloon, The Residence of W. F. WENYON, Esq., THE WHOLE OF HIS HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Comprising :-TAPESTRY COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITE. EASY CHAIRS, TEAK

> FENDERS, VELVET PILE CARPET, RUGS, &c. &c. TEAK SIDEBOARD, DINING TABLE DINNER WAGGONS, LEATHER COVERED COUCH, ARM CHAIRS, and DINING CHAIRS, TEAR BOOK CASES. CUTLERY and GLASSWARE, &c., &c. BRASS MOUNTED BEDSTEADS. TEAK WARDROBES with GLASS doors, marble top washstands,

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TOILET TABLES, RATTAN CHAIRS, One COTTAGE PIANO, by John Brinsmead and Sour (in excellent condition). On view from Friday, the 13th Oct. GEO. P. LAMMERT

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Auction at his Sales Rooms, Zelland siguess of Cargo are hereby informed that Street, No.2. their Goods are being landed and placed at their TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) the 14th October, 1899, Commencing at 0 -- m. A QUANTITY OF VALUABLE JEWELLERY, by mark and delivery can be obtained as soon RINGS, BROOCHES, SCARF PINS

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On View at the Undersigned's.

GOVERNMENT NUPIFICATION. No. 533. HHE following Particulars of Sale L CROWN LAND by PUBLIC AUC-TION, to be held at the Offices of the Public Works Department, on MONDAY, the 18th day of October, 1899, at 3 P.M., are published for general information.

By Command. J. H. STEWART LOCKHART, Colonial Secretary. Colonial Secretary's Office, Hongkong, 30th September, 1890.

Particulars of the Letting by Public Auction Sale, to be held on MONDAY, the 16th day of OCTOBER, 1899, at 3 P.M., at the Offices of the Public Works Department, by Order of His Excellency the Governor, of One Lot of Orown Land, in the Colony of Hongkong, for a term of 75 Years, with the option of renewal, at a Crown Rent to be fixed by the Surveyor to Her Majesty the QUEEN, for one further term of 75 years.

PARTICULARS OF THE LOT. Boun dang Mensure N. a. S. F. E. W.

1 1,504, dat. 316 [185] 133 170 59, 00, 210 9,410 PARTICULARS THE VERY VALUABLE CROWN LEASEHOLD PROPERTY Situate in Victoria, Central, Hongkong, with splendid frontages on Peel Street, Welling-

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For Further Particulars and Conditions of myself in Business as a GENERAL MER-Sale, apply to CHANT, COALSHIPPING and COMMIS-MESSES WILKINSON & GRIST, SION AGENT of No. 50, Queen Road Central, Hongkong, nuder the Style and Eirm. Solicitors. MESSAS HUGHES & HOUGH

Hongkong, 4th October, 1899.

Auctioneers.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE. PUBLIC AUCTION.

TR. GEO. LAMMERT has been instructed PUBLIC AUCTION. THURSDAY. the 19th day of October, 1899. At his Offices. Duddell Street.

THE FOLLOWING VERY VALUABLE PROPERTY in Five Lors. LOT 1.-ALL THAT PIECE OF LAND Registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 297. This Property Contains an Area of 3,192 square feet and is held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 25th of June, 1859, and is Subject to an Annual Crown Rent of 235.16.

LOT 2.—ALL THAT PIECE OF LAND Registered in the Land Office as INLAND LOT No. 511. This Property Contains an Area of 2,795 square feet and is held for the July, 1856, and it Subject to an Annual Crown Rent of \$42. LOT 8.—ALL THAT PIECE OF LAND Registered in the Land Office as the RE-MAINING PORTION of INLAND LOT No. 629. This Property Contains an area of 3,150 square feet and is held for the re-

sidule of a term of 999 years from the 26th of December, 1860, and is Subject to an Annual Crown Rent of 341.64. LOT 4 -ALL THAT PIECE OF LAND Registered in the Land Office as SECTION A. of INLAND LOT No. 309. This Property Contains an Area of 3,825 square feet and is held for the residue of a term of 75 years from the 5th of May, 1847, and is Subject to an Annual Proportion of Orown Rent of \$41.04. LOT 3.-ALL THOSE PIECES OF LAND Registered in the Land Office as SECTIONS J. and L. MARINE LOT NO. 4. The above Sections Contain Areas of 561

square feet and 558 square feet respectively and are held for the residue of a term of 999 years from the 21st of December, 1869, and are respectively Subject to Annual Proportions of Crown Rent of \$6.28 and \$6.16. For further Particulars and Conditions of THE AUCTIONEER.

Vendor's Bolicitors, Hongkong. 29th Santember, 1899. F2465 PUBLIC COMPANIES

CANTON INSURANCE OFFICE,

LIMITED.

MRSSBS. DEACON & HASTINGS

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE EIGHTEENTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHARE HOLDERS will be held at the Offices of the Undersigned at 12 o'CLOCK (NOON); TO-[2578 | MORROW (SATURDAY), the 14th October. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 30th instant to the lith proxime, both days inclusive.

> Canton Insurance Office, Limited Hongkong, 26th September, 1899. TEBRAU PLANTING COMPANY, N accordance with Article No. VIII. paragraph 3 of the Articles of Association

> of the Company, Interest at the rate of \$10 per

cont por Annum is being charged on all

Hongkong, 27th September, 1899.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON

General Managers.

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DEATH. year, Mr. F. SANDEB, late of Hongkong.

The Waily Bress Honggong, October 13th, 1899.

THE statement with respect to the New Gir CLAUDE MACDONALD responsible for the delay, as in part he would seem to be, but that does not wholly excuse the local Government. It ought to have been known that disturbances were being promoted, and in order to anticipate them occupation should have been effected at once, the Customs question if necessary being left for subsequent adjustment, which is what had to be done in the long ring, the Customs not being restations moved until some

surprise, that the Governor made no statement as to any final arrangement having appear dealing with the question of establishment is likely to continue indefinitely. At tions would be taken to prevent the lensed China or in any other way to the letriment of the interests of China. As a infilment meetings. In their letter to the Govern- afterwards until the time of his death, as a Proment dated 20th July last the Committee | Owens College (Victoria University) Manches say that when in their letter of the 12th far,

August, 1822, they suggested that the Government should give its consideration to the formation of a scheme which would not only provide an effective check on the import of the drug, but trace it also to consumption or exportation, they did not intend to convey the idea that the collection of the duties should be undertaken by the Government. That, however, appears to have been virtually the idea with which the Bill was

drafted and in that respect it was in accordance with the directions of the Secretary of State, who in his despatch to the Governor of the 6th January last wrote :- "You will | cruiting is brisk. 'see that Her Majesty's Government have "come to the conclusion which-if I under-"stand right--is your own conclusion also, "that the only satisfactory solution of this question will be the establishment of some system whereby the Chinese customs duties on opium imported into China from Hongkong, including the newly added territory, shall be actually collected by "the Government of Hongkong." From the omission of all reference to the subject in the Governor's speech it would appear that The Machinery in use embodies it is not intended to proceed with the proposed Bill at present. The question is a knotty one and its solution will probably give Sir HENRY BLAKE no little trouble.

> The U. S. gunboat Princeton left yesterday at noon for Manila.

The N. D. L. steamer Konig Albert, specially built for the fortnightly service, left Bremen at the appointed time, on the 4th October, for the Far East.

pany is making arrangements for an Australian service via Hougkong.

The Hon. Treasurer of the Alice Memorial and Nethersole Hospitals begs-to acknowledge with thanks the following donation to the. funds of the hospitals :- Lau Tok Hang \$10.

The dates for the Victoria Regatta have been fixed for the 19th and 20th December. The Regatta will be held under the joint auspices of the Victoria Recreation Club and Hongkong

The Tiveli Theatre at Sydney was destroyed by fire on the 12th September. The fire occurred at about one o'clock in the morning. The previous evening's performance had concluded about eleven o'clook.

The flags of several of the German hongs were half-masted yesterday in consequence of the death of Mr. F. Sander, late of the firm of Sander, Wieler & Co., which occurred at Hamburg on Wednesday.

At the Magistracy yesterday a Chinese contractor's coolie was fined \$5, at the instance of Mr. J. Bryan, for throwing night soil down the drains at Belilios Terrace that morning, Mr. [28] Bryan caught him in the act.

Siam is taking steps to improve her postal system. The department is siready controlled by a Director General, a German gentleman named Collmann, and three other Germans have just been sugaged to assist him.

Sydney. A selection of these extracts will be found in to-day's supplement.

The Committee of the Hongkong Football Cinb, in accordance with a strongly-expressed pinion at the last annual meeting, have deolded to erect a Grand Stand on their ground at Wongneicheong for the use of members and their lady friends. It will seat 200. The cost will be defrayed by private subscription from

Telegraphic information has been received in Shanghai of a riot at clokou in Kiangse. The C.I.M. Station at that place was destroyed, but all the missionaries are safe. The adjoining stations of Kweichi and Lyang were reported as andisturbed. The wire was forwarded from Hokou No further particulars are jet to hand .- N. C. Daily News.

In the Estimates for the present year a sum loon School The money has not been expended, nowover, and in the Estimates for next year we observe that no provision at all is made underthis heading. Yet, if we remember rightly, the Secretary of State anotioned the school being proceeded with as soon as the Colonial revenue

terday with embezzling \$249.64, the money of being injurious to health, the Soldiers and Sailors' Institute, of which he was the manager. The defendant went to proceedings. The Rev. G. R. Vallings, Secretary and Treasurer of the Institute, gave evidence regarding the accounts and defaloutions.

The following appeared in the General Orders issued vesterday in connection with the Hongkong Volunteer Corps :- "Services, Transtary of State for the Colonies is published for information: To Governor, Hongkong. Reably, therefore, His Excellency considers forring to your telegram of September 21st, Hor Majesty's Government desire to express high appreciation of loyal and spirited offer by Hongkong Volunteev Corps, but are not in position to accept. (Signed) Chamberlain."

> The amount provided for the Police Department in the Estimates for next year i 413,822, as compared with \$229,926, the ap proved estimate for the present year. It stated in a footnote that in addition to the increased number of men for the New Territory the pay of the whole of the European members calculated at 20 per cent. increase to their present emoluments. Amongst the new appointments are two Assistant Superintendents at \$3,600, one being for Victoria and one for the New Terris

A ship coolie in the employ of the East Asiatic Trading Company was placed in the Dock at the Magistracy yesterday on a charge | were 2,260 tenements which should have been of stealing bristles. He appears to have gone cleansed during the months of September and about it in a most systematic manner, substitut. October still untonched. Cut of 2,645 tenements ing for the boxes containing the bristles other in the Central Division only 385 bad been boxes of the same weight and size and similarly cleansed. They seemed to have very soon forway bristles of the value of £500 and comprising about half-a-dozen shipments were stolen. In consequence of telegrams being received from home the police were communicated with.
Mr. Bune, of the East Asiatic Trading Company, suspected a certain man, and informed the police of his suspicious; and in concert with him the thefts were fixed upon a ship's coolie, who was arrested by Chief Detaitive Inspector Hanson under a warrant on Wednesday. The case was adjourned for further enquiries.

Slow-witted people may find a useful hint in Chinese newspapers. the following, which we take from the Singapore Free Press :- Mr. Lang in me of his criti- tion was carried. tal articles; says .- " A very dul priest once fell out of a window, lit on his ! cad, became a claver man, and ended as a Pot ." Curiously. some of those who were in the ime classes. Edinburgh University with the distinguished student R. Adamson, a short lelicate youth were aware of the story, understood to be quite authentic, that as a little feller at otewart's Hospital ("Hospital" means en lowed shool in the balustrade of a stair, he fell over pitched on his head, was picked up a conscious, and fessor of Metaphysics and M ral Philosphy,

[SUPPLIED TO THE " DAILY PRESS."] LONDON, 10th October 1899. THE TRANSVAAL CRISIS The Transvaal has sent an ultimatum Great Britain demanding the withdrawal of troops from the frontier within forty-eight

The New South Wales Lancers marched through the city yesterday en route to the Cape. Enormous crowds gathered and frantic enthusissus prevailed. Mobilization is proceeding rapidly and renorous the Sudney.

HONGKONG SANITARY BOARD. The fortnightly meeting of the Hongkong Sanitary Board was held yesterday afternoon The President (Dr. J. M. Atkinson, Principal Civil Medical Officer) presided, and there were also present the Vice-President (the Hon. F

H. May, Captain Superintendent of Police), the Hon. R. D. Ormsby (Director of Public Works), Mr. E. Osborne, Dr. Clark (Medical Officer of Health), and Mr. C. W. Duggan (Secretary). THE INSANITABY PROPERTIES BILL. The following letter, dated Oct. 2nd, was read from the Colonial Secretary :-

"With reference to the resolution of Sanitary Board passed on 28th ult., and embodied in your letter of the 29th, I am directed to state for the information of the Sanitary Board that the introduction of the Insanitary Properties Bill has been delayed to enable the facts contained in the return of cases of bubonic plague to be placed in the possession of the members of the Legislative Council."

APPLICATION FROM MONG ROK TSUI. An application was submitted by Messrs. Palmer and Turner, achitects, for permission to retain yard bridges of a greater width, than 3 feet 6 inches in 17 new houses at Mong Kok Teui. It was pointed out that the yards to MANUFACTURED As will be seen from a telegram reproduced these houses are exceptionally wide, viz., 8 feet at the back of the houses. Dr. Clark minuted-"I recommend that per-

mission be granted by the Board to retain these bridges of a width of 4 feet 2 inches." Mr. Osburne minuted—" Grant permission." The Hon. R. D. Ormsby minuted-"Approve extra width." On the motion of the Hon. R. D. ORMSHY, seconded by Dr. CLARK, the application was

grauted THE NEW TERRITORY. The SECRETARY submitted draft Bill to extend certain laws into portions of the Now

THE INSPECTOR'S QUARTER'S AT KENNEDY-

The question of adding another storey to the Inspector's quarters at Kennedytown' came up. The PRESIDENT said that not only Inspector Watson but other inspectors who had lived in the bouse had had fever. The accommodation was not what it should be for a married inspector. Building another storey would probably render the house, more healthy, and he moved that the Government be requested to erect another storey to the house. The VICE-PRESDIENT seconded, and the

motion was carried.

HYDROPHOBIA. In a minute to the President, Dr. Clark said -I regret to report that a coolie named Wong Pon died at the Tung Wah Hospital on the 4th. inst from hydrophobia. It is now hive years since a death from this disease was reported and I think the occurrence this case is ample justification the regulations which I urged upon Board last year, and which were finally adopted Caylon papers received yesterday by the in March last. The deceased man was engaged Sanuki Maru contain extracts from home as a ricksha coolie by Mr. Michael, and lived at papers up to the 8th September, the date of the College Chambers. He was bitten by a dog mails being brought on by the M. M. stenmer (breed at present unknown) on August 25 last, at about 8 p.m. and I understand that the dog was subsequently killed by P. C. Landers, and the | have, etc., carcase sent to the Government Civil Hospital The man was ill for two or three days before admission to the hospital. In view of the reported prevalence of rabies at Nagasaki, 1 strongly recummend the Board to advise the Government to prohibit the importation of dogs from Japan for a period of not less than tion appress Boanguat does not expressibility March 20 next. I understand that both this coolie and an small, who was also bitten by this

> Dr Atkinson replied-The importation dogs from Nagasaki should certainly be prohibited. The coolie and smah were admitted to Post Office ... were discharged, one on the 27th August and Harbour Master's Department the other on the 1st September. The body of the dog, a mongrel terrier, was examined at the Geveroment Civil Hospital, and had evidently died of rabies. The master of the coolie and amah was advised to send the patients to Saigon or Shanghai for treatment.

On the motion of Dr. CLARK, seconded Mr. Osborns, it was decided to recommend the Government to prohibit the importation of dogs from Japan for a period of not less than six mouths, in consequence of the outbreak of hydrophobia there.

A WELL TO BE CLOSED. On the motion of Dr. CLARK, seconded Henry Fleury, a private of the Royal Welch the Hon. R. D. Ormeny, it was decided to Fusillers, was charged at the Magistracy yes- close a well at 88, Queen's Road Central, as

ANALYST'S REPORT. Mr. F. Browne, Government Analyst, reperied that during the quarter ended September 30th he had examined four samples of milk (one genuine and three adulterated), one of beer (genuine), three of brandy (genuine), one of rum (gennine) and two of whisky (genuine).

A report was submitted from Calcutta to the effect that Bushirs in the Persian Gulf is deolared free from plague. A report was submitted by the Portuguese Consul-General that the plague is abating in Oporto and that only a few cases had resulted

Copies of General Department Notifications imposing plague regulations at ports in Burma egainst vessels from Swatow and from Portuguese parts were submitted MORTALITY BUATISTICS.

week ended September 17th showed 51 deaths | Laying out Farm Lot No. 1, (three from plague), and for the following week 59 deaths (incuding four from plague). The mortality statistics for the colony of Hongkong for the week ended September 23rd | Praya Reclamation showed a death rate of 22, against 25-2 for the Praya Reclamation-Governprevious week and 18-3 for the corresponding week last your. The rate for the succeeding week was 22,8, sgainst 17.4 for the corresponding

week last year.

LIMEWASHING. Mr. OSBORNE said that this was nearly the end of the second week in October, and there lague, and he therefore begged to move that Survey of New Territory, 20,000 they resume the advertisements in the newspapers reminding property owners of their

duties in this respect. The PRESIDENT-Don't you think we had better have notices issued from the Registrar General's department P. A great'many Chinese mever see the newspapers.

Mr. Osborne remarked that the advertisements could be put in the Chinese newspapers. As the Medical Officer of Health had pointed out, the best method was to line offenders. He

moved that advertisements be inserted in the The VICE-PRESIDENT seconded, and the mo-

NO PLAGUE CARES IN HONGKONG. Dr. CLARE said that ous other point aring on or about the 26th instant. was the 10th day and no cases or deaths from Vancouver on Wednesday morning Colober bubonic plague had occurred in the colony, and | 11th) for Hongkong via usual ports of call. he thought they might say that for the present I The steamer Beyern, carrying the German It had not been quatomary in the past to make day the 18th inst. bills of health from this date in consequence of | may be expected to arrive here on 17th inst. the constion of plague. He moved that the The steamer City of Peking, with mails etc. Beard recommend the Government to do this which left hence September 7th for San Fran-Mr. Osborne seconded, and the motion was ciseo via Shanghai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Inland

This was all the business:

The continued absence of news with regard to the French mail has caused considerable and riety to be felt in the colony. The Pakahan, which left Saigon au hour and a half after the Sydney on the 5th, has arrived in port. Captain Jenkins states that he anchored ten hours off Cape St. James. He went outside the Paracels, whereas the Sydney generally takes the course. The Kongbeng left Saigon day after the Sydney, and has not

been informed by wire of the overdue steamer. and has sent a boat out to search for her. strong N.E. breeze and swell, the wind backing to the westward and increasing to moderate gale, with heavy sea running, gradually hauling

each other, one of them being disabled. Heidelberg left Singapore on the 2nd. N. Y. K. steamer Sanuki Maru which left Singapore on the 6th, arrived yesterday morning.

> GERMAN VIEW OF GREAT BRITAIN'S CLAIMS IN THE YANGISZE VALLEY.

In an article on the establishment of German lines of steamers on the Yangtsze the Ostasia. tische Lloyd expresses the hope that a German gunboat may be stationed on the river. Our contemporary claims that Germans have done much pioneer work, not alone at Hankow,

The efforts of England to seize the fruits of in another column, the Canadian Pacific Com- 6 inches; also that there is a lane 10 feet wide German diligence for herself and make the whole of the Yangtsze Valley a British domain are too date. Our London business forms a very im- Commandant. The third squadron sails to-day last evening in a squall when returning from a well known to call for repetition. It is also known that the English claims are morely paper claims: they neither are nor will be acknowledged. Already the German flag, both mercantile and naval, regularly appears on the Yangteze and it must be fully known that Germany has not the remotest intention of yielding to British pretensions. No doubt there will be protests, not only from England but also from China. The latter must clearly understand that Gormany does not intend to let the whole of the Yangtszo Valley fall into the hands of Great Britain. We do not want it for ourselves, but we want equal rights in it with other nations. To scenre recognition of those rights it seems to us the proper means is to see that the German flag shall never be absent from the Yangtaze.

> HONGKONG NO LONGER AN INFECTED PORT.

REMOVAL OF THE PROHIBITION OF CHINESE EMIGRATION.

The following letter has been addressed the Government to the Chamber of Commerce:-Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 12th October, 1899.

Sir, I am directed to inform you that the following telegram has been received from the Colonial Secretary of the Straits Settlements, "Prohibition of Chinese emigration removed.

Hongkong quarantine will be removed when duly certified no cases for 10 days. Please report whether any fresh cases sporadic or other-The Singapore Government has been duly informed by telegram to-day that there has been

no case of plague for ten consecutive days.-I J. H. STEWART LOCKHART. Colonial Secretary.

The Secretary, Chamber of Commerce. THE APPROPRIATION BILL

The following is the expenditure authorised by the Appropriation Public Debt. \$160,808 00 Pensions Governor and Legislature dog, were treated in the Civil Hospital for their | Colonial Secretary's Department ... 10.000.00Audit Department 26,564.00 Treasury Public Works Department the Hospital on 25th August with dog bites and Registrar General's Department ... 13,471.00 Botanical and Afforestation Depart-Legal Departments, Education Medical Departments, ... Magistracy, Sanitary Department, Charitable Allowances, ...

Transport, ...

Public Works, Recurrent. Public Works, Extraordinary, viz.:— (Chargeable to General Revenue.) New Law Courts, \$20,000 Public Works Department No. 7 Police Station, and Branch at Kennedytown, 12,000 Disinfector Station and... Quarters, Public Latrines, Electric Lighting, Government House, Forming and Kerbing Extensions of Gas Lighting, 1.500 Improvement of Gas Light-The mortality returns from Macao for the Governor's Peak Residence, 15,000 &c., Yaumati. ... Pokfulam Conduit Road ment Piers ... Gaol Extension Sewerage of Victoria Drainage Works, Miscel Quarters for Gaol Staff Swine Denot. Kennedytown 5,000

Sha-tin Tsun Wan ... 5.000 Starling Inlet 5,000 Pier in Deep Water Taipo, 5,000 Chargeable to Water Account.) Tnitam Waterworks Exten-City of Victoria and Hill District Waterworks, ... 27,000

\$2,631,651.00

LATEST STRAMER MOVEMENTS. The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Bombay for this port on the 7th instant, and is due her out of the mortality statistics was that that The C. P. R. steamer Empress of India left

they were free from plague. No. 9 district was mails with dates from Berlin of the 18th Sepdeclared infected in April, and then Nos. tamber left Singapore on Thursday at 10 a.m. 4. 5. 6. 7. 8. and 10 districts. He thought and may be expected here on or about Wednes. any declaration, but he thought it would be well The O. S. S. steamer Machaon, from Liverto recommend the Government to issue clean pool, left Singapore on the 11th instant, and

destination on the 9th inst,

ONTON INSURANCE SOCIETA OF CANTOL, DIMITED.

The 24th ordinary mosting of charebolders n the above an ununy was hold at the head office, No. 1. Qusen's Buildings, yesterday at noon. Mr. E. S. Wirsaller presided, and there were also present Messrs. H. L. Dairymple, N. A. Siebs, R. H. Hill, A. G. Wood (directors). Douglas Jones (ascretary). David Gillies, J. H. Cox, C. H. Thompson, J. C. Peter, T. Richardson, F. C. Goddard, R. M. Gray, H. W Slade, H. J. M. Carvalho, G. W. F. Playfair, H. F. Tomkins, and L. M. Alvaras. The SECRETARY read the notice convening

The CHAIRMAN said-Gentlemen, with your permission we will take the report and accounts as read. The accounts are very full, and there is little in them to which I need refer. The net premium for 1898 sliews an increase some \$430,000, whilst the lesses shew an increase. of \$360,000, over the previous year, and the result of the year's working is that we were again able to pay a bonus to contributing shareholders of 20 per cent, and to propose a dividend of \$13 or 36 per cent., as compared with a dividend of able to increase the reserve fund by \$60,000 With regard to the 1899 accounts, you will notice that the balance at credit at the 30th June was \$1,194,031.00, a sum considerably in excess of that of any preceding half-year, and the same may be said of the estimated balance at credit at 3 th September, but it is of course a great deal too early to form any estimate of the year's working, though we have so far every reason to hope that it will turn out favourably. Turning to the balance-shoet you will notice that the investment fluctuation account is less by \$16,000, which is due to the fall in value of sterling securities; exchange fluctuation account is less by \$13,000 owing to exchange being higher at the end of our half year than at it commencement. You will also notice that the sterling securities have been increased

morning amidst a scene of most extraordinary £30,000. I am sure that the shareholders will join with the Board in regretting that Mr. M. P. Jukes has decided to retire from bled to see them off. business at the end of this year. Mr. Jukes joined the service of the Society in 1874, when our London branch was opened, and he has been the agent of the Society in London from that squadron of the 9th Lancers, including the of the British craiser Talbot was captized portant part of our business, and under Mr. Jakes' management has been conducted with conspicuous success. The Board had no hesitation in agreeing with the London Committee that Mr. Jukes' long and successful services should be recognised by the Society by presenting him with an honorarium of £3,000 on his ratirement, Mr. Douglas Jones, our Secretary, has been appointed agent in London succession to Mr. Jukes, whilst Mr. H. Saunders, who has been many years Mr. ukes' assistant in the London office, has been appointed underwriter, Mr.-W. J. Haugders being appointed Secretary in Hongkong Before moving the adoption of the report and

There being no questions the report and accounts were adopted, on the motion of the CHAIRMAN, seconded by Mr. RICHARDSON. On the motion of Mr. GILLIES, seconded by Mr. GEAY, Messre E. S. Whealler and A. J Wood were re-elected directors. Mesers J. H. Cox and W. Hutton Potts were re-elected auditors, on the motion of Mr THOMPSON, seconded by Mr. SLADE. The UHAIRMAN-That is all the business

accounts I shall be very glad to answer any ques-

ions any gentleman would like to ask.

before the meeting, gentlemen. We thank you for your attendance. Dividend warrents will be ready to-morrow.

SANDAKAN NOTES. FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT] Sandakan, 6th October.

Commissioner E. P. Gueritz having gone home on special leave, Mr. Henry Walker, Commissioner of Lands, has been appointed Government Commissioner, pending the arrival of a new Governor in the Colony.

The Mausang reported exceedingly heavy weather on her arrival here from Hongkong. She was over 8 days on the way, having sheltered in Manila Bay for two days. Mr. and Mrs. Berkhuijsen have left Sandakan for the Straits Settlements. This is the last act in the Blue Funnels connection with British North Borneo, Mr. Berkhuijsen having been the partner of Mesers. Manufield & Co. having

charge here for some years past. LATE TELEGRAMS.

The following telegrams are from the Times Ceylon and Indian and Australlian

THE DARJEBLING DISASTER. Calcutta, 26th September. At Darjeeling on Sunday, a heavy downpour C. J. Burnett, C.B., the officer rain occurred causing several landships. The mail train was obstructed by three bad slips between Darjeeling and Sonada, delaying the train greatly. The passengers were transferred to another train. On Monday there were slight shooks earthquake felt The rainfall for the first thirty hours was

fifteen inches, and in all twenty-eight inches of rain fell in thirty-eight hours. Authentic reports show the loss of nine European children and seventy natives. The children were killed at schools at Arcadia, Ida Villa, and four small villas elsewhere. All adult Europeans. seem to have escaped:

The Archescon's house is half destroyed, and a Great slips have taken place on the Rockville Road, destroying a portion of it, while from the Wicket House the Jaiapahar Road is completely blocked, and the Calentta Road is also blocked. A public funeral, of the European children

takes place to morrow. Yesterday the up-train passengers were detained at Ghoom all night. The Paglaghora line is seriously damaged, as are the lines at many other places. About a thousand sores of tes have been destroyed. The estates surrounding half the eastern slopes on Darjeeling Spur, from Jala-

pahar to Birch Hill, have slipped three thousand The water-supply pipe has been destroyed and the electric light plant damaged. All wires throughout the station have been damaged, and Darjecling is in complete darkness. The weather is still cloudy, and there are

great fears of more rain causing further slips: Intelligence has been wired from Jalpaiguri that three Europeans and six natives were crossing the Teesta River when the bost was swamped by the high waves and snok within a quarter of a mile of the ghant. One boatman was picked up fourteen miles down the river, and he reported that the Europeans jumped overboard and were not seen again Bearch parties are out after the missing men. Calcutta, 27th September. It is newestimated that the loss of life between

Darjeeling and Kurseong alone amounts to over three hundred. No news has been received many tea gardens in the vicinity of the rainburst; and it is greatly feared that the deathroll will be far above three hundred. The storm, gathering to at head, moved most due north, giving heavy rain in Calcutta and all along the line through Dinejpur, Rang. pur, and Jalpaiguri, and falling with greatest being sold, and the necessary through connecfury on Darjesling. Simultaneously another tion with railways and steamers being guaranstorm appears to have gathered in the vicinity

of Rangpur, and to have passed westward teed. through Gurnea to Monghyr. Up to a late hour yesterday the Government had received none of the weather or crop reports due every Monday from the districts named. Therefore there is reason to fear that the London once of the Bank of Australasa, the Borm has caused floods and interrupted who was arrested some time ago at Scarborough, the storm has caused floods and interrupted who was arrested some time ago at Scarborough, communications there. The railway line between Darjeeling and

Senada will probably be blooked for two months: The damage to Darjeeling has been excep-tionally heavy. The lower sections of the telegraph wires have been broken, and both the upper and lower Puglajboras have been carried Warsaw. away. The upper road from Kurssong to Darjeeling is impassable; and passengers can only be booked to Siliguri. The Government have sent outra engineers children were trampled to death.

to Darjeeling, and prompt measures have been taken to cope with the situation. Very likely a relief fund will be raised. The Lieutenant-Governor intends trying to reach Darjeeling, leaving probably on Friday, A telegram to Bir James Woodburn states that fifty per cent, of the eastern slope of Dar-

Eastern Mall; and three thousand feet of water of 7L years. pipes have gone. Several reads are blooked and lengths carried away. Great damage Liss i been sustained by the railroad. The electric Sea, Yokobama, and Honolulu, arrived at her the military, and the public sire working to remedy matters.

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At Tameour Busten twenty-one bodies have been found, but it is believed, that twenty ad- cometery and disinterring the corpses. He was ditional have been killed there. Landslips have also taken place at Murmeh. The public funeral of five European children, whose bodies have been found, took place yes terday, the band of the Royal Munsters leading, The five coffins, carried by soldiers, came next. followed by school children, and the public of all classes and religious. The Archdeacon of Calcutta read the service at the grave.

The Lieutenant Governor and other leading officials and dignitories were all represented. The electric light plant is buried beneath he rained turbine shed News from Rungli shows that great damage

has happened to gardens. At Poomong, through the turbine being broken, twelve coolies were killed; and a number of dead bodies have been excavated from the ruins of Happy Valley estate. Lady Woodburn is housing sixty children in The bodies of the remaining four children are still undiscovered.

The Royal Munsters are working splendidly, searching for the dead and clearing the roads. In the beating accident at Teests the Duropeans who were missed are reported to have been drowned. The weather now is bright sunshine.

THE TROOPING FROM INDIA TO

SOUTH APRICA.

Simla, 23rd September: In the event (which, however, is not looked upon here as probable) of a farther Brigade being despatched from India to South Africa. the Essex and Royal Irish may not unreasonably expect to be included. Calcutta, 24th September. The Gloncesters sailed from Calcutta this

largest ever known in Calcutta, having assem. frozen moat were jettisoned. Bombay, 25th September. Two more transports, the Wardha and the Nowahera sailed yesterday, each carrying a

Bombay, 26th September. The British India steamer Upada has been thartered for the Transvasi Expedition. A squadron of the 5th Dragoons embarked on the transport Lindula this morning: and all drowned.

the Patielo, and the Nevasa and this will end the shipment of the contingent. _. HOSPITAL SHIPS FOR SOUTH AFRICA. London, 25th September. The Admiralty has taken up the steamships Cowaji and Sportan as ships for South Africa. THE ANNUAL LUCKNOW DINNER.

London, 25th September. The annual Lucknow Dinner took place at the Hotel Metropole to night. General Sir W. Olpherts presided, and thirty Lucknow veterans were present. General Olpherts, in his speech, dwelt enthusiastically upon the work 6 days. of Havelock and Outram.

IMPROVING HORSES IN INDIA. Calcutta, 26th September. The Government of India has sanctioned the purchase during the next two years of eight thoroughbred Australian stallions, and also the ther. purchase of six Australians in India, at an eatimated cost of R3,507 each.

GOLD FOR INDIA Simla, 23rd-September. The number of sovereigns accumulated in Government Treasuries has now risen to and boisterous weather until afternoon of 11th; 2.700,000, and this sum is expected, with exchange where it now stands, to rise to at least three millions sterling by the end of the ourrent

NUMEROUS EUROPEAN CASES OF PLAGUE AT POONA. Poons, 25th September.

Two fresh cases were taken to the European Plague hospital, at Poons, on Sunday, namely Miss Dart, aged 19, and Master Ingham,

Quite a number of cases have occurred during the past few days in the fashionable part of Poons. Most of theses have occurred in sorvents' quarters but all the cases have not happened there, Miss Burnett, daughter of the General Commanding the station, has been attacked, and the family have moved into tents. Miso Windle, the little daughter of Major Windle, succumbed to the disease on Saturday in the European Plague hospital. There was one fresh admission on Saturday.

namely Alexander Walshe, from Kirkee, who appears to have a serious attack. Bombay, 26th September. Miss Burnett, daughter of Major General C. J. Burnett, C.B., the officer commanding at

THE VICEROY'S TODE CURTAILED. Bombay, 26th September. Lord Curson and party have returned Simls from the interior. Owing to the gloomy reports of distress and famine, it has been decided to curtail the proposed Viceregal autumn tour, and omit Rajputana. The Vicercy wil

possibly pay a flying visit to a few of the affected districts. BRITISH GUNBOAT IN THE BLACK SEA. London, September 12th -The British manof-war Melito has visited Odessa, the Russian port on a bay of the north coast of the Black Sea. The officers and crew received a most cordial welcome there. The former were entertained by Russian officers, who drank to the

The Melita will be taken on to Sebastopol, and special significance is attached to the visit, as she will be first "Britisher" that has gone to that port since the Crimean war. LYNCHING IN AMERICA .- INDEMNITIES

health of her Majesty the Queen with much

FOR ITALY. London, 12th September. A few weeks ago a shooking case of lynching took place at the village of Tallulah, in the State of Louisians. An Italian who shot an American doctor was hanged to a tree, and five of his companions were also killed. Colonel John Hay, Secretary of State at Washington, at once expressed regret to the Italian authorities for the occurrence, and the United States. as an not of courtesy, has now offered Italy an indemnity of 5,000 dollars in respect to each of

the mon lynched. REVOLUTIONIST VICTORY IN VENEZUELA. Unsettled affairs in the South American republic of Venezuels have culminated in a revolution. The insurgents, nuder General Castro, succeeded in defeating the Government troops, 2,000 of whom were captured. LONDON TO AUSTRALIA CANADIAN-PACIFIC

London, 13th September. Bir William Cornelius Van Horne, president of the Canadian-Pacific Railway Company, i arranging on behalf of the company to supply a railway and steamship route from London to Passengers by the proposed line will leave

London at Euston Station, the terminus of the London and North-Western Ruilway, and will travel via Canada, Yokohama, and Hongkong to Australia, tickets for the whole journey FITE TEARS PENAL SERVITUDE FOR AN

EMBEZZLER. London, 14th September. Charles Griffin Doans, formerly a cashier in the London office of the Bank of Australasia, 404 on a charge of having embessled the sum of £3,753, the property of the bank, has been sen-tenced to five years penal servitude.

A TERRIBLE PANIC IN RUSSIA. A terrible disaster is reported from Lentschek, a town in Poland, and about 80 miles from At a Jewish synagogue meeting, a lamp was accidently upset. The fismes caused a panio, and in the rush that ensued 32 women and

CZAR AND KAISER. The proposed visit of the Czar of Russia & the Emperor of Germany has been postponed. owing to the unsettled state of affairs in France. DEATH OF LORD WATSON.

London, 15th Septomber. The death is aunounced of Lord Watson one gone. Extreme damage has occurred below the of the Lords of Appeal in Ordinary, at the age

THE FRENCH BUDGET. The French budget for the year includes the sum of 36,000,000 franta (about £1,427,000). light plant has been damaged, and the wires this sum having been rendered necessary owing emashed throughout the station. The police, to the increase of the French forces in Algeria after the Esshous incident, and in consequence of the building of new warships.

Condon, Loui doptember tendent of the N diffeld Comstery, Aberdeen, has been tried on the charge of descorating the found guilty, and sentenced to six months' imprisonment.

A BUDGET OF WRECKS. London, 13th September. Reuter's correspondent at Cape Town states that the gravest fears are entertained with regard to the safety of the steel screw steamer Waikate which left London for Port Chalmers, New Zealand, on May 4. and has not been seen since July 31st, when the barquentine Tacora observed her, with her propeller broken, endesyouring to make headway by means of sails. The twin screw cruiser Melpemone which was despatched from Port Louis Mauritius in search of the missing vessel, recently returned without having soon the disabled steamer.

Despatches from Cape Town state that the Aberdoen Line steamer Thermopylas, 3,711 tons register, bound from Australia to England s ashore at Green Point, Table Bay close to Cape Town. After triking the coast the vessel broke in two. The holds are flooded with water All the members of the craw and the passenger got safely to land, The specie consisting of 50,000 sovereigns, was also conveyed ashere. It is feared that the raceborses on board cannot be

Further particulars have been received in con nection with the wreck of the New Zealand Shipping Company's twin-sorew steamer Teleca. which left Wellington for London on July 19th. It is reported that on August 10th the vessel reached the Falkland Islands, a group in the Bouth Atlantic Ocean about 310 miles east of the Strait of Magellan, Patagonia. Continuing her journey, the steamer is stated to have struck an inknown object in the Strait of La Maire, South America between Tierra del Fuego and Staten Island.

The forehold and the forepeak of the vessel enthusiasm, a crowd of Europeans, perhaps the quickly filled with water, and 22,000 carcases of

BRITISH OFFICERS' PLUCE.

Halifax (N.S.), 5th September. A yaohting party numbering cloven persons, and including Mesars. Pools and Judy, officers water picnic. Messrs. Poole and Judy each graspid a lady of the party and swam for the shore, which they reached in an exhausted condition after battling with the stormy waves. The others-four ladies and three men-were

SHIPFING REPORTS.

The British steamer Takeang, from Waha and Chinkiang 7th Oct., had strong N.E. mon-

soon throughout. The German steamer Sandakan, from Sandakan 5th Oct., had fair weather, strong N.E. mon-

soon, high sea and swell. The British steamer Phra Nang, from Bangkok let Oct., and Swatow 10th, had fine and calm till Oct. 4th, in lat. 13"N, when a heavy N.E. wind and sea were encountered lasting for

The British steamer Arratoon Apear, from Calcutta 26th Sept., and Straits 7th Oct., had light to moderate winds, heavy northerly swell. weather fine and clear to lat. 16 N.: thence to port, fresh E.N.E. winds, high sea and fine wea-The British steamer Pakehan, from Saigen

5th Oct., had strong N.E. breeze and swell, wind backing to the westward and increasing to moderate gale with heavy sea running and gradually hanling round to S.E. with heavy rain thence decreasing wind and sea to port. EXPORT CARGO.

Per American ship, Governor Robie, sailed on the 7th October. From Hongkong for New York :-13,626-rolls matting, 2,740 boxes paim leaf fans, 2,009 bales rattancore, 1,000 packages Brecrackers, 50 cases and 250 bales cassia. 281 bales strawbraid, 155 bales canes, 90 boxes bamboo fans, and 380 packages merchandise.

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NOTICE. N EXTRAORDINARY GENERAL

MEETING of the Members of the Club will be held at the CLUB HOUSE, on THURSDAY, the 19th Outober, 1899, at 5 P.M., for the purpose of confirming or otherwise the Resolution passed at the Extraordinary General Meeting held on the 3rd inst. By Order.

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At Hamburg, on the 11th October, in his 69th

Territory made by H.E. the Governor in his speech at the Legislative Council on Wednesday did not embody much that was new Lanchi, which is distant some five days from and it omitted reference to some points upon which the public would have been glad to have received information. His Excellency says it was assumed that the knowledge of of \$3,888 was provided for the proposed Kowthe just treatment of the Chinese inhabitants of Hongkong and British Kowicon would induce the population of the leased area to accept the jurisdiction of Great Britain with equanimity, if not with pleasure, and that showed a surplus of \$100,000 That condition had it been possible to take over the possession immediately this assumption might have been verified. But there were what His Excellency terms unavoidable delays, one cause of delay being that there was an unfortunate misconception | Manila and was brought back under extradition on the part of the Chinese Government as to the effect of the Convention upon the position of the Chinese Imperial Customs | The case was adjourned nutil to-day. authorities who had hitherto exercised jurisdiction within the leased' area; and at the cornect request of Her Majesty's Minister in Peking the taking over of the Territory was | real .- The following telegram from the Secredeferred until the 17th April. Presum-

month safter the occupation. It will have been noted, probably with tory. been made with the Customs, nor amongst the proposed legislation does any Ordinance ing a bonded warehouse. It would seem therefore that the question is still pending marked containing coal and stones. In this gotten the lessons of the recent outbreak of and that the present provisional arrangethe time the New Territory Convention was negotiated a pledge was given by the Britich Government that all possible precauarea being used to ficilitate smug ding into of that pledge the Hongkong Gene al Chamber of Commerce recommended the establishment of a bonded warehouse for onium, and the recommendation was accepted by the Covernment. The arrangement of the details, long before Mr. Lang wrote stything at all however, has been found a matte of some difficulty. An Ordinance was crafted to give effect to the proposal and was submitted to the Commerce for its conmileration. The draft Bill itself has not that connection) he was a notoriously slowbeen made public, but the Cleamber's witted pupil, until the day wher, sliding down criticism of it was published with the minutes of one of the Committee's monthly became on his recovery a brillis it intellect ever

THE OVERATOR PR NOR MAIN. THE PRENON ADMINAT COMMENIA CATED WITH.

the meeting.

been heard of. The Kongbeng and two other Scottish Oriental boats were expected to pass the Paracels, and one of them may have come The French Admiral at Kwangchauwan bas The Pakshan, reports having encountered

round) to S.E. Heavy rain and boisterous weather was experienced until the lafternoon of the 11th, from then decreasing wind and sea | \$17 paid last year, and at the same time we are The N. D. L. steamer Heidelberg, now overdue from Singapore, has not yet been heard of which gives some support to the suggestion that she and the Sydney bave fallen in with

but also at the other Yangtaze towns, and in

Chinese emigrants will be put in quarantine.

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INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER, 1853. HEAD OFFICE, LONDON. RESERVE LIABILITY OF SHARE-HOLDERS RESERVE FUND

INTEREST allowed on Current Account at On Fixed Deposits for 12 months ... 4 percent. T. H. WHITEHEAD. Manager, Hongkong.

Hougkong, 22nd May, 1899. THE NATIONAL BANK OF CHINA LIMITED. AUTHORIZED CAPITAL£1,000,000

PAID UP CAPITAL:£ 324,374 HEAD OFFICE-HONGEONG. BOARD OF DIRECTORS. CHES KITSHAN, ESQ. - KWAH HOICHURN, Esq. CHOWTUNG SHANG, Esq. J. T. LAUTS, Esq.

D. GILLES, Esq. Chief Manager, GEO. W. F. PLATFAIR. Interest for 12 Months Fixed 5%.

Hongkong, 23rd March, 1899 THE MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA LIMITED.

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INTEREST allowed on Current Accounts at the rate of 2% per annum on the Daily balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS :-

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BANKING CORPOBATION, THOMAS JACKEON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st August, 1895. TONGKONG & SHANGHAL BANK ING CORPORATION.

RESERVE LIABILITY OF PROP'TORS.\$10,000,000 COURT OF DIRECTORS R. M. GRAY. Eeg. - Churman. N. A. Sirbs, Esq.—Deputy Chairman. A. J. Raymond, 189. E Goete, Esq. A. Haupt, Esq.

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ING COMPANY, LIMITED Hondrong-Interest Allowed. On Current Account at the rate of 2 per C per Annum on the daily balance. ON FIXED DEPOSITS. For 8 months, 25 per Cent. per Annum. For 6 months, 35 per Cent. per Annum.

For 12 months, 4 per Cent per Annum. THOMAS JACKSON. Chief Manager Hongkong, 19th August, 1899.

INTIMATIONS

NOTIOD. TE have This Day REMOVED No. 8. QUEEN'S ROAD, Offices pro viously occupied by the East Asiatic Trading HOTZ, SJACOB & CC.

Hongkong, 9th October, 1899 SOCIETÉ FRANCAISE DES HOUIL. LERES DE TOURANE (EN LIQUIDATION).

Société anonyme au Capital de 4,000,000 fr SIEGE SOCIAL A HAIPHONG. M. les actionnaires sont convoqués IVA - en assemblée générale extraordinaire

la 28 Octobre, 1899. a 9 houres du m.tin à Haïphong, dans le local de la Chambre de Commerce, rue Paul Bert, à l'effet de délibérer et voter sur l'ordre du jour suivant : 1.—Rapport des liquidateurs relatif à l'apport consenti à la "Société des Docks et des Houillères de Tourane." 2.—Approbation des comptos des liquida-

Pour assister à l'assemblée les Propriétaires d'actions au posteur devront déposer leurs titres A Harphong, sait chez les fiquidateurs, sait la Banque de l'Indo Chine. A Hongkong, sait chez M. M. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co., sait a la Banque de l'Indo

Les liquidateurs. CH. COTTON, J. LEFEBVRE. NOTICE TO MARINERS. No. 105 (SPECIAL).

CHINA SEA.

SWATOW DISTRICT. NEWLY DISCOVERED ROCKS TO THE SOUTH-

WARD OF NAMOA ISLAND. NTOTICE is hereby given of the existence of two newly discovered rocks to the southward of Namoa Island having 18 feet of water over them at Low Water of Spring Tides: To these the names of TAMSUI ROCK and KAIPAN ROCK have been given. From Tamsni Rock the Pageds on Namos

Island bears N. 41' W., and South Point, Names Island, bears N. 60° E. From Kaipan Rook the Pagoda on Namos Island bears N. 45 W., and South Point, Namos Island, bears N. 78' E. W. FERD. TYLER. Acting Coast Inspector. Imperial Maritime Customs.

Coast Inspector's Office. Shanghai, 2nd October, 1899. REWER NOW READY.

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K. HASEGAWA. Manager. Hongkong, 19th August, 1899. **· 预察**館芝園城省東廣 K WONG CHI KOON DISPENSARY.

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THE PROMOS' NOTE. The M. M. steamer Sydney, with the French mail on the 8th ultime, left Salgon on Thursday, the 5th instant, at I p.m. This Packet brings replies to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 5th August. I'HE AMRICAN MAIL The O. & O. steamer Coptio with mails, &c., left San Francisco for this port via Honolulu,

Yokohama, Kobe, Inland Ses, Nagasaki, and Shanghai, on the 29th ultimo. THE ENGLISH MAIL The P. & O. steamer Chusan, with the English mail, of the 15th ult., left Singapore on Sunday, the 8th instant, at 1 p.m., and may be expected here on or about Saturday. the 14th instant. This Packet brings replies

to letters despatched from Hongkong on the 12th August. THE GERMAN MAIL. German mail, of the 18th ultime, left Singapore On CALOUTTA. on Thursday, the 12th instant, at 10 a.m.,

and may be expected here on or about Wednesday, the 18th instant. THE CANADIAN MAIL. The C. P. R. Co.'s steamer Empress of India left . Vancouver on Wadnesday, the 11th inst. for Hongkong via-usual ports of call.

MERCHANT STEAMERS The N. D. L. steamer Heidelberg, from Hamburg, left Singapore for this port on the On SINGAPORE. 2nd instant, and may be expected here on or about the 8th instant. The H. A. L. steamer Sibiria, from Ham- GOLD LEAF, 100 fine per tael53.60 burg, left Singapore for this port on the 9th instant, and may be expected here on or about the 15th instant. The O. S. S Co.'s steamer Machaen, from

Liverpool, left Singapore on the 11th instant, Rent, Income, &c., together with Exchange of | and may be expected to arrive here on the 17th The N. Y. K. steamer Rasuga Maru (Ans. tralian Line) left Thursday Island, via Manila for this port on the 6th instant, and is expected arrive hereon the 19th instant. The N. Y. K. stoamer Milks Maru (Bom-

bay Line) left Bombay, via ports, for this port on | Campbell, Moore & Co the 4th instant, and is expected to arrive here China Prov. L. & M.... on the 23rd instant. The N. G. I. steamer Bormida left Bombay for this port on the 7th instant, and is due here on or about the 26th instant. The C. N. Cors, steamer Changeha, left Sydney on the 21st ultimo. The P. & O. steamer Pekin left Bombay for this port on the 5th instant. The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Maria Valeria left Moji for this port on the 5th instant. The Austrian Lloyd's steamer Poseidon left

Singapore for this port on the 7th instant. PASSED THE CANAL. OUTWARD. - 22nd Sept .- Malacca. 26th Sept .-Energia. Adria, Anapa, Bamberg, Voroneg. 29th Sept .- Anum. - 3rd October .- Indravelli, Ixion, Kintuck, Vindohona, Hakata, Maru. 6th October Japan, Yarra, Uuda. Idomeneus. 10th October .- Ayr.

HOMEWARD, -10th Oct .- Formosa, Wakasa, Maru.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES. The Postal Guide for 1899, revised to date will be found in the Obronicle and Directory, P. XXX This is the only authorised complete Summary of Postal information published in

Hongkong.

11.30 a.m. and 3 p.m. er in Letter Boxes in the Cars by 12 and 3.30 o'clock Trams. Letter Boxes at Peak will be cleared at 12.30 and 4 p.m. The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is corrected

to a much later hour than that given below. A MAIL WILL CLOSE. For Swatow and Shanghai.-Per Taisang, to-day, the 13th instant, at 3.00 P.M. For Vladivostock.-Per Pakhoi, to day, the Ith instant, at $3.00~\mathrm{P.M.}$ For Manila.-Por Diamonte, to-day, the 13th instant, at 3.00 p.m. For Kobe and Yokohama.—Per Sanuki

Maru, to-day, the 13th inst, at 3.00 p.m. For Kongmoon, Samshui and Wuchow.-Per Samshui, to-day, the 13th instant, at 4.00. For Swatow .- For Amara, to morrow, 14th Tebrau Planting Co. .. the instant, at 10.00 A.M. For Mauritius .- Per Tuilce, to-morrow, the United Asbestos 4th instant, at 1.00 P.M. For Swatow, Amoy and Tamsui.—Per Hai. mun, to-morrow, 14th instant, at 5.00 A.M. For Bangkok. Per Kwongwoi, to morrow.

Muidzuru Maru, to-morrow, the 14th instant, at For Nagasski, Kobe and Yekohams.-Per Rosstia, on Sunday, the 15th inst. at 9.00 A.M. For Kongmoon, Samshui and Wuchow, -- Per Wachow, on Monday, the 16th inst. at 4.00 P.M. For Kongmoon, Samshui and Wuchow.—Per Samshui, on Wednesday, the 18th inst,, at 4.00 For Kobe, Yokohama, Victoria, B.C. and

the 14th instant, at 5.00 F.M.

day, the 19th instant, at 3.00 P.M. For Kobs and Yokohama.—Per Changsha, on Friday, the 20th instant, at 11.00 A.M. For Kongmoon, Samshui and Wuchow.--Per Gutslaff Wuchow, on Friday, the 20th inst. at 4.00 P.M. For Singapore, Penang and Colombo.—Per Amoy Tamba Maru, on Saturday, the 21st instant. at 10.00 A.M. For Nagasaki, Kobe and Yokohama.—Per Victoria Peak....

Samehui, on Monday, the 23rd inst, at 4.00 P.M. Manila For Thursday Island, Townsville, Brisbane, Malate Sydney and Melbourno. - Per Yawata Maru, on Friday, the 27th instant, at 3.00 p.m. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Coromandel will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 14th inst. at noon with Mails for the United Kingdom, Continent of Europe and countries beyond, via

Brindisi, to the Straits Settlements, Netherlands India; Barmah, Ceylon, Aden, Egypt, Malta Circulars 8.00 A.M. Registration at 10.00 A.M. (Registration, with late of ten cents up to 10.45 A.M.

Papers 10.30 A.M.

to 10.45 A.M.)

Letters 11.00 A.M.

Letters at J1.00 A.M.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET The United States Mail Packet Nippon Maru will be despatched on THURSDAY, the 19th inst, with mails for Shanghai, Japan, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows ;-10.00 A.M. Registration ounces. (Registration with late fee of ten cents up

Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure of the mail. MAILS BY THE CANADIAN PACKET: The Canadian Mail Packet Empress of China. will be despatched on WEDNESDAY, the 25th instant, with Mails for Shaughai, Nagasaki, Kobe, Yokohama the United States,

Canada, &c., which will be closed as follows :-

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10.00 A.M. Registry-coases.
(Registration, with late fee of ten ceuts, up. to 10.45 A.M.) Letters .11.00 A M. 11.00 A.M. Post Office closes, but correspondence may be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of ten cents extra Postage until time of departure. Auction of Furniture, at Sales Rooms, Loc Hopse Street, Messrs, Hughes & Hough, at

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COMMERCIAL.

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H. H. L. Tramwaya . \$100 \$1474, buyers Hongkong Hotel Hongkong Ice \$25 \$126, sellers \$50 \$93. sellers Hongkong Rope \$50 \$190 \$1.25 520 p. ct. prem. nsurances-\$775, tellers Canton 850 \$1474, sellers China Fire \$20 \$87, sellers China Traders' \$25 ×60, ex div. collers Hongkong Fire \$50 8330. North-China £25 Tis. 200, buyers Straits \$20 \$5, seiters Unions \$50 2260 Yangtze \$60 \$124, sellers Land and Building-

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For Swatow, Amoy and Tamsui.—Per

STATION. 4 5 5 5 T H H L T 10 1 Vladivostock Seattle, U.S.A.-Per Kinshiu Maru, on Thurs-30.03 Nagasaki Kagoshima 30.15 Sharp Peak 30.10 79 1 61 ENE 4 D 30.97 30.04 30.03 Kasuga Maru, on Saturday, the 21st inst., at Gap Rock - IENE G -75 - ENE 6 --30.00 80.02 For Kongmoon Samshui and Wuchow -Per | Haiphong 84 77 ESE 1 C Bacoled mesering 83 - 0 0 Hoilo

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> F. G. Flette, Acting Director. Rengkong Observatory, 12th Octo., 1899.

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HONGKONG TIDE TABLE

-Banometer reduced to be degrees Fair, at an flevel.

3-Temperature in the shade in degrees Fahrenhelt.

8- Humbert in percentge of entpration, the humidity of air saturated with meisture being 100.

4-Direction of the Wind to two points.

5-Force of the Wind according to Beaufort Scale.

6-Biath of the Wind according to Beaufort Scale.

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"ST. MARK." Dudley, Master, shortly expected from MANILA, will load here for the above ports and will have onisk despatch.

Mangkong, 20th September, 1899. NATAL LINE OF STEAMERS.

THE Undersigned GENERAL AGENTS In CHINA and JARAN for the above Line or DENG for all the principal ports in South Aveloa, in connection with Indo-CRINA STEAM NAVIGATION Co.'s forthightly service hence to CALGUTTA. Sailings from CALCUTTA for CAPE PORTS every fortnight. For freight and farther particulars,

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FROM KOBE.

FITHE Steamship

Limited, whence delivery may be obtained. No Fire Insurance has been effected, and any Goods remaining in the Godowns after the

17th Oct. will be subject to rent. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by SANDER, WIELER & CO., Agents. Hongkong, 10th October, 1899.

> GATION CO., LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM LIVERPOOL.

No claims will be admitted after the goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be sent in to the office of the undersigned before

No Fire Insurance has been effected, and Optional cargo will be forwarded unless notice Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

Hongkong, 4th October, 1899. "BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

STRAITS.

For further information as to Freight or Passage apply to the Agency of the Company Queen's Building. J S. VAN BUREN, Agent,

The Siemer has apleaded accommodation

Lines can be washed on board.

For forther Particulars, apply to
MELCHERS & CO.,

Hongkong, 12th October, 1899

October. (Parcels are not to be sent on board,

they must be left at the Agency's Office)

For further Particulars, apply at the Cons-

G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

return by the steambre of the China Navigetion Contents and Value of Packages are required. and carries a Doctor and a Stewardess.

Mongkong, 6th Outober, 1889.

DENY'S Office.

N.B. - Return Tickets issued by this Com-

pany to and from Australia are available for

GIBB. LEVINGSTON & CO.,

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For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, och October, 1899.

Hougkong, 11th October, 1809.

Hongkong. 26th September, 1899.

"HECTOR," Captain Barr, will be despatched as above on TUESDAY, the 14th November. For Freight, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Hongkong, 10th October, 1899. FORPHILADELPHIA AND NEW YORK. FIJHE 3/3 A. I. I. American Ship

For Freight, apply to ARNHOLD, KARBERG & CO.

DODWELL & CO., LIMITED. General Agents for China and Japan. Manorkong, 4th August, 1897.

MARIA VALERIE." having arrived, Consigness of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Claims must be sent in to the Undersigned before Noon, on the 17th Oct., or they will not be

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of cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns.

All broken, chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 10th instant. any goods remaining in the Godowns after the

10th instant will be subject to reut. to the contrary be given before Noon, TO DAY. HOLLIDAY, WISE & CO

STEAMSHIP "BENLARIG."

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, AND

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that all Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company, Limited, whence and/or from the Wharves delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have laft the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 13th inst. will be subject

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Undersigned on or before the 19th inst, or they will not be recognised. All broken chafed, and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 12th inst., at 3 P.M. No Fire Insurance will be effected.

Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & CO.,

Hongkong, 5th October, 1899. THE CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVI-GATION COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

FROM GLASGOW. THE Company's Steamship

"KAISOW" having arrived from the above ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk, into Wharf and Godown Co., Kowloon, whence delivery may be obtained. No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all claims must be cent in to the office of the undersigned before

Noon on the 14th inst., or they will not be All broken, chafed, and damaged goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 11th inst. No Fire insurance has been effected, and any

Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the co trury be given before Noon TO DAY. Bills of Lading will be conterned by HOLLIDAY WISE & CO.,

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